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Dated: August 19, 2005

Respectfully submitted,

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I am the assignee of record of the entire interest in the above-listed patents and patent applications. A Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is also enclosed.

  
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**STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR 3.73(b)**

Multisorb Technologies, Inc., a corporation of New York, states that it is the assignee of the entire right, title, and interest in the patents and patent applications listed below by virtue of the recorded assignments listed alongside the patents and applications:

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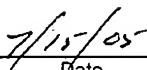
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# ASSIGNMENT

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THIS ASSIGNMENT, made this 11th day of December, 19 2001  
by LOUIS PATRONE and PAUL A. RIEMENSCHNEIDER  
(hereinafter referred to as the assignors), residing at 7660 Endres Road, Hamburg, New York 14075  
and 5568 Woodbine Ct., Williamsville, New York 14221, respectively, witnesseth:

WHEREAS, the said assignors have invented certain new and useful improvements in  
ABSORBENT MIXTURE AND PRODUCT

set forth in an application for Letters Patent of the United States, executed on even date herewith; and

WHEREAS, Multisorb Technologies, Inc., a corporation duly organized under  
and pursuant to the laws of the State of New York, and having its principal place of business at  
325 Harlem Road, Buffalo, New York 14224-1893

(hereinafter referred to as the assignee) is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said inventions and said application for Letters Patent of the United States, and in and to any Letters Patent or Patents, United States or foreign, to be obtained therefor and thereon:

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of One Dollar (\$ 1.00 ) and other good and sufficient considerations, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, the said assignors have sold, assigned, transferred and set over, and by these presents do sell, assign, transfer and set over, unto the assignee, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in and to the abovementioned inventions, application for Letters Patent, and any and all Letters Patent or Patents in the United States of America and all foreign countries which may be granted therefor and thereon, and in and to any and all divisions, continuations, and continuations-in-part of said application, or reissues or extensions of said Letters Patent or Patents; and all rights under the International Convention for the Protection Of Industrial Property, the same to be held and enjoyed by the said assignee, for its own use and behoof and the use and behoof of its successors, legal representatives and assigns, to the full end of the term or terms for which Letters Patent or Patents may be granted, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by the assignors, had this sale and assignment not been made.

AND for the same consideration, the said assignors hereby covenant and agree to and with the said assignee, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, that, at the time of execution and delivery of these presents, the said assignors are the sole and lawful owners of the entire right, title and interest in and to the said inventions and the application for Letters Patent above mentioned, and that the same are unencumbered and that the said assignors have good and full right and lawful authority to sell and convey the same in the manner herein set forth.

AND for the same consideration, the said assignors hereby covenant and agree to and with the said assignee, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, that the said assignors will, whenever counsel of the said assignee, or the counsel of its successors, legal representatives and assigns, shall advise that any proceeding in connection with said inventions, or said application for Letters Patent, or any proceeding in connection with Letters Patent for said inventions in any country, including interference proceedings, is lawful and desirable, or that any division, continuation or continuation-in-part of any application for Letters Patent, or any reissue or extension of any Letters Patent, to be obtained thereon, is lawful and desirable, sign all papers and documents, take all lawful oaths, and do all acts necessary or required to be done for the procurement, maintenance, enforcement and defense of Letters Patent for said inventions, without charge to the said assignee, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, but at the cost and expense of the said assignee, its successors, legal representatives and assigns.

AND the said assignors hereby request the Commissioner of Patents to issue said Letters Patent of the United States to the said assignee, as the assignee of said inventions and the Letters Patent to be issued thereon for the sole use and behoof of the said assignee, its successors, legal representatives and assigns.

Signed at Buffalo, in the County of Erie,  
State of New York, this 11th day of December, 19 2001

Louis Patrone

Signed at Buffalo, in the County of Erie,  
State of New York, this 11th day of December, 19 2001

Paul A. Riemenschneider

STATE OF NEW YORK  
COUNTY OF ERIE } SS.

ON this 11th day of December, 19 2001, personally before me  
came Louis Patrone and Paul A. Riemenschneider,

known to me, and known to me to be the persons described in and who signed the annexed assignment, and being duly sworn, acknowledged that they executed the same.

JOSEPH P. GASTEL  
Notary Public, State of New York  
Qualified in Erie County  
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